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MEMORANDUM

TO: David Whitaker, Director, LPD
FROM: Hon. Scott Benson, City Council District 3

CC: Hon. Janice Winfrey, City Clerk
Stephanie Washington, City Council Liaison
VIA: Hon. Brenda Jones, City Council President
DATE: 3 July 2019

RE: MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION RESOLUTION

The Governor will be making her second appointment to the Michigan Public Service Commission soon and I am requesting LPD draft a resolution, which provides suggested characteristics of the next MPSC member for her consideration. I have attached my letter to the Governor's office as a template that can be used to draft the resolution.

Please provide the draft resolution 8 July 2019. If you have any questions do not hesitate to contact my office at, 313-224-1198.



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MEMORANDUM

TO: David Whitaker, Director, LPD

FROM: Hon. Scott Benson, City Council District 3 

CC: Hon. Janice Winfrey, City Clerk
Joel Howrani Heeres, Director, Office of Sustainability
Stephanie Washington, City Council Liaison

VIA: Hon. Brenda Jones, City Council President

DATE: 3 July 2019

RE: GREEN TASK FORCE SUSTAINABILITY OFFICE MOU

The Green Task Force (GTF) is currently working with the Office of Sustainability to enter into a formal nonbinding relationship where the GTF plays an advisory role on greenhouse gas reduction initiatives. Please draft an MOU that achieves this goal keeping in mind the Detroit Charter's mandate about separation of powers.

Please provide the draft MOU by 10 July 2019. If you have any questions do not hesitate to contact my office at, 313-224-1198.

IOS Referral

Jasmine Barnes

Thu 7/4/2019 3:10 PM

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 2 attachments (172 KB)

RESUME JANUARY 2019-1.pdf; RESUME JANUARY 2019.pdf;

Greetings!

Please refer the attached resume to IOS on the July 9 New Business Agenda as the OFCPBJ At-large CPC nominee.

Thank you.

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EDUCATION

University of Detroit Mercy
Bachelor of Business Administration
Master of Community Development

AFFILIATIONS

Policy Link
Detroit Equity Delegate

Detroit Sound Conservancy
Board of Directors

Detroit Regional Chamber
Leadership Detroit XXXIX Class

City of Detroit Council Appointee
City Planning Commissioner

University of Detroit Mercy
Masters of Community Development
Program Advisory Board

RECOGNITION

Harvard Business School
Young American Leaders Program

PlaceLab Chicago
Ethical Redevelopment Fellowship

Preservation Detroit
Board of Directors

City of Detroit Mayoral Appointee
Historic District Commissioner

Damon J. Keith Center
Detroit Equity Action Lab Fellowship

SELECT EXPERIENCE

Deep Dive Detroit, LLC (Detroit, MI) 2012–Present *Consultant*

Serve as local context expert and engagement strategist for design teams working on development projects in Detroit. Leverage place based knowledge, experience and social capital to design and execute robust and inclusive citizen engagement plans. Projects include City of Detroit's Sustainability Action Agenda and Wayne State University's Master Plan.

Facilitator

Design curriculum and moderate group dialogues on issues pertaining to racial equity & privilege, equitable development, and community engagement. Have successfully engaged close to 1000 participants at more than a dozen organizations. Previous clients have included the Skillman Foundation, EcoWorks, Challenge Detroit, Detroit Revitalization Fellows, and Wayne State University among others.

Live6 (Detroit, MI) 2015–2017

Founding Director

Successfully launched place based, anchor institution partnership organization convened to create and implement community development activities in Northwest Detroit. Designed multiple platforms for gleaning input from residents, business owners, property owners, and neighborhood leaders at levels to create a shared vision for recruiting new businesses, sustaining exiting businesses, vacant property activation and community programming. Served as convening partner connecting community members to philanthropic and financial institutions, city government, service providers and anchor institution leadership. Over the course of a 2 year period, engaged over 1000 residents in monthly public dialogues, monthly advisory meetings, quarterly cultural events and bi-weekly peacemaking initiatives.

Loveland Technologies (Detroit, MI) 2013–2015

Director of Community Engagement

Partnered with community organizations to develop and execute neighborhood specific outreach strategies to engage residents in a city wide property mapping process. Produced workshop materials, convened and trained over 700 residents on data collection applications.

City of Highland Park (Highland Park, MI) 2010, 2012–2013

Project Manager: Community/Economic Development

Responsible for the execution of citywide economic development programs. Managed initiatives in demolition, deconstruction, housing rehabilitation, public works, and business attraction. Negotiated on behalf of the municipality in grant related hearings with federal, state, and county representatives. Worked to establish the City's Historic District Commission and served as the City Hall liaison to the Planning Commission.